

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): SEAT BELT COVER

By (Inventors): Kyozo KOBAYASHI, (Setagaya-ku, Japan).

- ☒ 11 pages of Specification/Claims 1-9/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-8; 7 sheets are attached.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to _____ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and _____ reference(s).
- ☒ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____, filed _____, --
- ☒ Priority of foreign application No. 2000-255041 filed August 25, 2000 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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- ☒ A check in the amount of 355.00 for the filing fee is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300. However, this application is entitled to small entity status. DO NOT charge large entity fees to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



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